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Vacation Dates Change Request Prompted By Driving Conditions

Driving back to school on New Year's Day was cited by many professors as a major reason for requesting the dates of Christmas vacation to be changed.

A random poll of 13 university professors was taken in connection with the request that the Student Senate has made. Scheduling of the vacation may come before Faculty Senate for reconsideration at their meeting Tuesday.

Donald Allison, associate professor of Germanic languages and literature, said starting classes on Monday, Jan. 2, is "certainly awkward and should be reconsidered."

He noted, however, that if the date of returning to school was moved up, the date for dismissal should be too.

James Bikke, assistant professor of business education, said "I have no negative reaction to a change if a change is possible. I don't like to see anybody traveling on New Year's Day."

"I think it would be nice if students didn't have to come back on Jan. 1," stated James Morrison, assistant professor of journalism. "We would all like to have a vacation extended, and it is true that coming home on New Year's night would be especially dangerous."

Assistant Professor of Zoology John Brumbaugh said that he thought there might be less accidents if the vacation were moved back.

Robert F. Guenter, assistant professor of architecture, commented, "I suspect that the idea of bringing students in so close to New Year's is a little strange. I would see some advantage from a safety standpoint in moving the vacation back a few days."

Professor of Chemistry Henry Baumgarten refused to comment because he said he is neutral on the subject. He added that since he is teaching only graduate students it really doesn't affect him.

A number of faculty members commented that they could see both sides of the question and they wished that there was a good solution.

James Looker, professor of chemistry said "I can see the viewpoint of the students. But

a lot of the faculty has already scheduled labs, quizzes and quiz sections. Many classes have labs scheduled only one day a week and should they lose Monday they would lose an important part of the course."

"But I can see the student viewpoint — the driving back on Sunday and New Year's Day and that there is no break after the holiday he added. "It's a very difficult decision."

"I've never seen a satisfactory solution to Christmas vacation. I've never seen it handled in a way that doesn't cause disruptions and problems. I'm just happy to go along with those to whom it matters and the way they settle it in a given year," said Jerry Cloyd, associate professor of sociology.

William Bowsky, associate professor of history said, "If it can be worked out I think it's a fine idea."

Joseph Baldwin, professor of speech and dramatic art, doubted the proposal.

"If any reasonable solution could be made to have the right number of instructional days I would like to see it worked out but the calendar committee has spent many hours and I can see where their difficulties are. I don't know a solution," he said.

Lloyd Jackson, professor of mathematics, opposed any change. "I would not be in favor of a change because of heavy classes schedules on Monday. Time is inadequate for material covered anyway and I would hate to see Monday deleted," he said.

"I'm all for changing it," noted Loren Bonneau, associate professor of history and principals of education.

David Joseph, assistant professor of physics said that as far as he was concerned one time was as good as another.

Senate May Review Extension Proposal

A request that Christmas vacation be extended one day will be made before the Faculty Senate meeting Tuesday afternoon by James G. Porter, chairman of the calendar committee.

Porter's recommendation will ask that classes not begin on Monday, Jan. 2, but rather on Tuesday, Jan. 3. He has stated earlier that he would make the request because he felt it was too much of a risk to ask students to travel on New Year's Day.

Porter said that he expects a vote by the Faculty Senate on the request on Tuesday, but that he doesn't know what the outcome will be. "Many of the professors feel we already have too few class-days

before finals are scheduled to begin and that this would only add to the problem."

The possibility of a bowl game will probably have little effect on the outcome of the Faculty Senate's decision, Porter stated in an earlier interview. He bases this opinion on the fact that many of the Faculty Senate members feel that bowl games are becoming an "annual affair."

Porter stated that he would make the request on the part of the students. "I believe that the Student Senate made a proposal that they go on record in support of having classes start on Jan. 3. I will probably read their proposal in presenting my recommendation to the Faculty Senate."

Opportunity Given To State Views On Student Conduct

By Randy Irey
Senior Staff Writer

An open hearing to bring out grievances of the students in regard to student life will be held next Sunday at 4 p.m.

The hearing will be held by the ASUN Student Conduct Committee. Dick Schulze, chairman of the committee, stated Sunday that the committee wants students to come before them and verbally state what has been discussed about student rights and what other ideas they might have.

"The committee wants to become more knowledgeable of the student's concern in the area of student rights," Schulze explained. We must determine what the students want the committee to do, before we can begin any action. The committee members will therefore ask questions of the students in order to clarify

the student's feelings."

At Sunday's committee meeting, the members tried to formulate some type of plan for panel discussions and symposiums. These would be designed to inform the students of the various ideas and opinions on student rights and total education. The discussions would also serve a second purpose, according to Schulze, that of stimulating student interest in the areas of student rights and education.

Nothing definite was decided upon by the committee concerning a timetable for the discussions, for, as Schulze explained, "we must first break down the related problems of student rights and total education into something concrete that the committee can grasp."

"Therefore the panel dis-

cussions must be well-planned in order that they might be beneficial. I would like to see each panel discussion have a definite aspect of the problem to deal with. In this manner, we could eliminate a lot of duplication and get more specific ideas," Schulze said.

The committee also discussed whether they should concentrate first on the legal aspects of student rights or whether they should first work toward a clarification of what total education is.

Jerry Olson stated that the committee should find out first what areas to work in, what is necessary for a total education, and then find out whether the rights within these areas may be legally held by the students.

Liz Aitken agreed with Olson and declared "that we must know what we are fighting for, rather than what we'll come up against in the way of opposition."

In order to clarify the legal aspects of what the committee decides is necessary for a total education, the committee plans to call on various lawyers for their opinion.

Bob Samuelson stated that if lawyers were called upon to give an opinion on the legal aspects of total education without knowing what the students basically want that all they could do is "lay down a broad generalization of where we stand."

Susie Phelps then suggested that a notebook of what the committee finds on the subject of total education should be compiled and then presented to the lawyers so that they could have a definite idea of what the students mean by "total education."

A consensus of the committee was then taken by Schulze with the conclusion being that "total education" should be defined first, and then the legality of it should be determined.

AWS To Sponsor Mart Wednesday

AWS Freshmen Activities Mart will be held Wednesday Oct. 12 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the ballroom of the Nebraska Union and the Youth Court of the Kellogg Center on East Campus, according to Marti Hughes, Activities Mart chairman.

Any organizations wishing to participate should contact Miss Hughes at either the Kappa Delta House or the AWS office.



FOLK, JAZZ, OR CLASSICAL . . . chairman Jennifer Marshall deliberates over the record lending selections.

Record Loans Provide Varied Listening Pace

Music-loving students now have access to hundreds of records for hours of listening pleasure, according to Jennifer Marshall, Nebraska Union Music Committee chairman.

The Nebraska Union record lending library has jazz, popular, folk music, classical, opera, Broadway hits and movie soundtrack records in both hi-fi and stereo LP albums for loan.

Sponsored by the Nebraska Union Music Committee, the records are loaned to University students free of charge. Records may be checked out during library hours at the Nebraska Union Program Office, Miss Marshall said. The library is open from 3:30

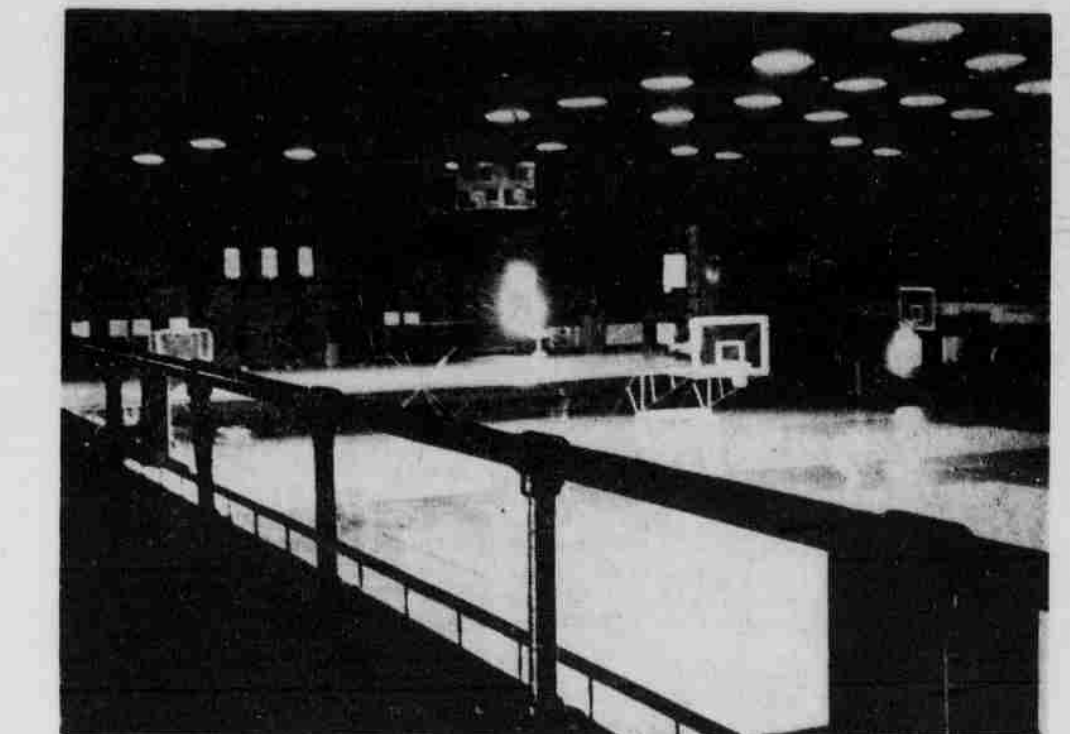


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SOUNDS OF SILENCE . . . are heard in the Coliseum until Friday night when the Kingsmen play for the Homecoming Dance.

Homecoming Madness Builds, Deadline Nears

By Cheryl Tritt
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Half-finished displays of chicken wire and crepe paper, the rumble of Big Red on the practice field and Mortar Boards selling mums will be common sights this week as the University makes final preparations for Homecoming.

After a year's absence from the campus, three-dimensional displays will greet returning alums. The displays will be operational from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. Friday, according to Russ Sindt, Corn Cobs display chairman.

A committee comprised of two Lincoln businessmen and two University faculty members will judge the displays at 5 p.m. Friday, Sindt said.

Trophies for first and second place winners in each di-

vision will be awarded Friday night at the Homecoming dance at the Coliseum, Sindt added.

Several streets will be blocked off Friday, enabling the public to have an unrestricted view of the displays, Bruce Eickhoff, public relations chairman said.

Traffic will not be allowed on 16th street between "Q" and Vine Streets, "R" street between 13th and 17th, "S" street between 14th and 16th, and "U" between 14 and 16 from 5:30 to 10:30 p.m. Friday Eickhoff added.

A pep rally and bonfire Thursday at 6:45 p.m. will officially begin the Homecoming festivities, according to Jerry Olson, Corn Cobs Homecoming chairman.

Bob Zenner, sports director for KLIN will speak at the rally and the ten Homecoming queen finalists will be introduced, Olson said.

The Homecoming dance, featuring a nationally-known combo, the "Kingsmen," will be held Friday from 9 p.m. to midnight in the University

Coliseum, Olson said. The Homecoming queen and her two attendants will be announced at the dance.

Tickets for the informal dance may be purchased for \$1.50 from Corn Cobs workers or at a booth in the Nebraska Union, Oct. 10-14, Olson noted.

Women's living units will have 2 a.m. closing hours Friday, Barb Beckmann, AWS judicial vice president announced. Coeds will have regular 1 a.m. closing hours Saturday night, Miss Beckmann added.

Homecoming Day returning alums will see the Cornhuskers pitted against the Kansas State Wildcats. The Homecoming court will be presented during halftime festivities.

Other activities scheduled for Saturday include a series of coffee hours conducted by various University colleges and schools and a Homecoming luncheon for all alumni at 11 a.m. in the Lincoln Hotel, according to the University News Service.

Quiz Bowl . . .

Innocents Seek Revenge

Mortar Boards and Innocents will again match wits to begin the fourth consecutive University Quiz Bowl season on Oct. 27 at 7 p.m.

Having been defeated for three consecutive years, the Innocents will be seeking revenge to atone for last year's match when the Mortar Boards were the victors by a small margin, winning 95-90.

A mandatory team captain's meeting and orientation will follow the match. A representative from each team must be present to qualify the team for participation. Team competition will begin on Nov. 3.

Team applications will be sent to the president of each living unit immediately, or they may be obtained outside Room 345 in the Nebraska Union. These applications with a \$4.50 registration fee, must be returned by Oct. 27, or the team will not be eligible for competition.

Applications may be sent to John Metzger, Quiz Bowl president, or Ann Van Steenberg, or left at the Quiz Bowl mail box in the Union. All checks should be made payable to ASUN.

A \$50 scholarship will be awarded to the outstanding player of the season selected by the Quiz Bowl Executive Committee, according to Metzger.

"The purpose of the scholar-

ship is to promote an interest in Quiz Bowl, and to aid a student in furthering his education," said Metzger.

An additional set of equipment will be used this year so that two matches can be run simultaneously. It will not be necessary to limit the number of teams that can enter. Freshman teams will also have a separate competition.

Isolation procedures will be strictly enforced, with a separate room used to isolate contestants. Any team member who is not in isolation at the prescribed time will be disqualified.

Six members of the University faculty will moderate the matches. These include Richard Scott, Assistant to the Dean of Student Affairs; Miles Tommeraaen, Assistant Professor of Business; Carl Nielson, Instructor in Business; Charles Gruner, Assistant Professor of Speech and Drama; and E. S. Wallace Director of the Bureau of Business Research. The sixth moderator has not been selected.

Last year's winning team, The Tweek Ring, will have two members returning, while all members of the runner-up team, The Blackshirts, will again compete.

The final matches of the season will be televised by KUON-TV, as has been done in previous years.

Complex Completion Planned For Fall '67

Construction on small residential units should begin in late November of this year, according to Russell Brown, administrative assistant to the Dean of student affairs.

The complex was originally termed a fraternity complex, but Brown said that it is properly referred to as a group of small residential units.

He said that any organized group may apply for admission to the units, but added that so far only Greek organizations have shown any interest in the units.

Brown said that no definite plans have been decided as to what groups will occupy the units.

It is hoped that the complex, which will be located east of the new dorms of 17th Street, will be completed by the fall of 1967.

There will be four separate buildings in the group, each one duplicate of the others. There will be slight changes in such features as direction facing, landscaping and decor which is hoped will give each building distinguishing characteristics.

Each structure will house between 60 and 70 residents and will include dining rooms, living rooms, kitchen facilities, a library, T.V. room, recreational areas and laundry facilities.

Brown said that according to plans, the buildings will be three stories high.

Presently, it is planned to have two fraternities and two sororities in the complex, and each will be on a lease arrangement. The buildings will be financed through revenue bonds which will be retired through the rent paid by the occupants.

Brown said that the units are intended to help alleviate some of the problems arising from housing shortage on campus.

He added that the Greek

organizations were hardest hit by the shortage.

He noted the following three alternatives which could be followed to try to remedy the situation: constructing individual buildings by each group; going together and building a complex, or requesting the University to build small residential units.

The latter alternative was decided upon because the Greeks could not get together for a group complex nor could they afford to build new buildings by themselves.

Seven fraternities and three sororities have expressed interest in the units.

The groups which will be finally selected to occupy the units will be decided by a ranking system to determine the group's need for housing.

MB's Offer Booklets

Mortar Board members will inform freshmen of "Activities NU" Oct. 10 and 11 at a booth in the Nebraska Union North Lobby, according to Mary Ann Deems, Mortar Board.

The booth, sponsored annually by Mortar Board, will feature the activities booklets published jointly by the senior honorary and Panhellenic.

Mortar Boards will also speak to living unit members Monday and Tuesday evening after closing hours.

The purpose of "Activities NU" is to inform freshmen of the campus organizations, Miss Deems said.

Miss Deems added that residents in the living units are encouraged to become informed about the campus activities and to participate in the AWS Freshman Activities Mart, Oct. 12.